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MACHINE

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Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Miscellaneous Letter

Sir:

The applicants filed an after-final amendment within two months of the final Office Action dated October 21, 2006 and are awaiting an Advisory Action from the Examiner. As of tomorrow we are entering the sixth month after the final Office Action.

When can we expect an Advisory Action? It would be helpful to receive an Advisory Action as soon as possible to give us time to discuss our strategy with our inventors.

Respectfully,

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